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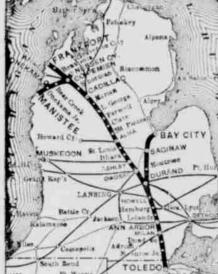
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HAVE ENOUGH MEN.

danta Fe Officials Say Strikers' Places Are Filled-Telegraphers Still Confident.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 11.-The Santa Fe officials claim the telegraphers' strike is a thing of the past. They say the strikers' places are so nearly filled that the hiring of men will be stopped.

General Manager Mudge has issued a reward notice, offering \$250 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person cutting, or obstructing in any way, the telegraph wires or instruments of the company.

St. Louis, Dec. 11 .- At the headquarters of the Order of Railway Telegraphers in this city it was stated that reports received from all Record Being Made at the Short parts of the Santa Fe system show that the strike is more effective now than at any time since its inaugura-

Galveston, Tex., Dec. 11,-The strike remains in status quo at this end of SENATE DISCUSSES TREATY QUESTION. the line. President Dolphin went to bed late and at 11 o'clock in the morning had not left his room at the hotel. Vice President Pierson said no reports were received Tuesday morning, but from those received at night Monday was a fine day for the strikers. What he based this on he did not state.

General Manager Polk says things could not be better and the road is checking in new operators and moving freight right along. Monday the Santa Fe handled nearly 7,000 bales of cotion and over 60 cars of grain, besides sundries, into Galveston alone, Cedar Rapids, Ia., Dec. 11.-Grand Chief Conductor Clark, of the Order of Railway Conductors, Tuesday denied the published statement that his order would take up the cause of the Santa Fe strikers.

Marries a Cretan.

Denver, Col., Dec. 11.-Panay G. Vouro Vouraky, son of George Vouraky, one of the hereditary chieftains of the Island of Crete, one of the best grade of vice admiral in the navy. versed men of the day in the languages ficer of the United States secret service. Rice to Mrs. Effie Cook, daughter of Fred Smith, and granddaughter of the tive session. late Col. McMartin, of the British honeymoon in Crete.

Actress Injured in Fire.

Sharon, Pa., Dec. 11 .- A natural gas explosion occurred Tuesday at the Rankin house in a room occupied by Edna Farrell, of Paducah, Ky., member of Royer Brothers theatrical troupe. She was seriously burned about the arms and hands and lost her wardrobe, worth \$600, by the fire which followed. The force of the explosion was terrific and caused a panic among the hotel guests. The explosion was caused by escaping gas from a stove, igniting from a gas jet.

Cowboy and Indian Carnival.

annual cowboy and Indian carnival a system of military instruction. opened Tuesday with a great parade Cured and corrected by the use of Dr. of vaqueros, redmen and Chinese. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This remedy After the parade, in a wild dash restores the natural action of the stomach and bowels, and is better than a remedy that checks but does not correct the conditions. Sold and recommended by Sharrar & Mulholland. to wild west sports and in the evening Mrs. H. W. Pratt was crowned and entries are repealed. A pistol is doubly dangerous when Queen of the Carnival. The festivities will last all the week. A cold cough or la grippe can be "nipped in the bud" with a dose or two of Foley's Honey and Tar. Beware of

A Lover's Crime.

Taylor Station, Ind., Dec. 7 .- Because she refused to marry him Louis Meadows shot Miss Frances Hahn, and then killed himself.

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House Passes the Army Reorganization Bill and Has Before It a Measure to Reduce the War Revenue \$40,000,000-Daily Summary of All Matters of Importance,

Washington, Dec. 5. In the senate yesterday bills were introduced to Stickel, theprisoner held at the councreate a supreme court for the Philippines, to admit Oklahoma as a state, and for repeal of the bankruptcy law, to take effect September 1 next. The credentials of Jonathan P. Dolliver, the only party to the crime. He had of Iowa, as successor to the late Senator Gear, of Iowa, were accepted.

Washington, Dec. 6 .- A bill was passed in the senate yesterday providing for the celebration of the centennial anniversary of the establishment of the national capital in Washington. Senator Frye spoke on the ship subsidy bill. Bills were introduced to provide for revisions of the patent and trade-mark laws and to revive the

Washington, Dec. 7 .- A bill providof the orient, who has a record as a ling for a bridge across the Mississippi soldier under many flags and as an of- at Dubuque, Ia., was passed in the senate yesterday. The rest of the States to Italy. was married in Denver by Magistrate time was devoted to consideration of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty in execu-

Washington, Dec. 8 .- After an exguards. They became engaged a week ecutive session, in which no business ago, having met last summer in Salt of importance was transacted, the Lake City. The couple will spend their senate yesterday adjourned to Mon-

> Washington, Dec. 11.-Bills were introduced in the senate yesterday by Senator Cullom (Ill.) to grant pensions at \$50 per month to the widow of Gen. John M. Palmer and Gen. John L. Mc-Clernand. Senator Towne (Minn.) Pepsin Syrup Co. took the oath of office. The Hay-

In the House.

Washington, Dec. 6.- The ways and through the streets, an Indian was duced in the house yesterday. It prothrown from his horse and fatally vides for a total of \$40,000,348.70. All trampled under the hoofs of other stamp taxes except on stock exchange me much suffering. Respectfully yours borses. The afternoon was devoted and board of trade deals, bills of ladhorses. The afternoon was devoted and board of trade deals, bills of lading and custom house withdrawals

Washington, Dec. 7.—In the house yesterday the army reorganization bill was passed by a vote of 166 to 133, with an amendment prohibiting the canteen.

bill, intended to prevent the sale of Syrup. Nature's remedy for coughs and butterine for butter, was passed in colds. the house yesterday. The war revenue bill and a measure authorizing the appointment of Mr. Boutelle, of Maine, as a captain on the retired list of the navy upon his resignation from

congress were favorably, reported. Washington, Dec. 10 .- A bill was introduced in the house on Saturday to provide habitations and employment for the homeless poor. The day was devoted to paying tribute to the mem- a ory of the late Representative Alfred C. Harmer, of Pennsylvania.

Washington, Dec. 11.- In the house yesterday the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill (\$24,496,308) was passed. Mr. Norton (O.) introduced a bill for penny postage on letports on the agricultural resources of Porto Rico.

Gold Badge for Mrs. McKinley.

Washington, Dec. 10 .- President De Young and Thomas F. Walsh, of the priming. Paris exposition commission, called upon President McKinley and presented him a gold badge on behalf of the commission, to be handed to Mrs. battle of life. McKinley with their compliments. scientific research by The badge is one of the finest pieces of workmanship produced by Parisian goldsmiths, and the president pronounced it the most beautiful he had

Lived Over 103 Years.

Denver, Col., Dec. 10 .- Adnah Adams Treat died here Sunday, aged 103 years and eight months. He had long been the oldest living mason, in point of age, and the second oldest mason, in point of time, connected with the

Against Computation

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 7 .- At the twentieth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor President Gompers pronounced against a compulsory arbitration law.

Strike Practically Over. Topeka, Kan., Dec. 11.-The officials of the Santa Fe railroad say that the Bears the strike of telegraph operators is practically over.

Killed by Acid.

Buffelo, N. Y., Dec. 11 .- George Harmon, a stationary engineer employed by the Union Dry Dock company, staggered from a hallway on South Division street and fell to the sidewalk in a dying condition, resulting from carbolic acid burns. He was taken to an accident hospital, where he died a few moments later. It was learned that Harmon had been in the room of Mrs. Maggie Culp. It is not known whether it was suicide or murder.

Intends to Keep the Money,

Boston, Dec. 11.-The case of Morris Aaronburg, the youth who has confessed that he stole \$8,837 from Mrs. Margaret Beck, which has puzzled the police from the first, still staggers the officials, although the boy has declared his guilt. All evidence is taken as indisating that Aaronburg has the money safely concealed and intends to go to prison without revealing its hiding

Went Race August 3.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 11.-The Royal Canadian Yacht club has informed the Chicago Yacht club that the date suggested by the club for the Canada cup race, the latter part of August, is not satisfactory. This would be after the America's cup race and little interest would be taken in the event. August 3 would suit the Camidlans.

Confesses to Murder,

Tacoma, Wash, Dec. 11.-Martin ty jail for the murder of the aged Cornelius Knapp and his wife near Castle Rock on the night of November 3, has confessed to having been previously implicated another man,

cemetery Tuesday afternoon. The escort to the cemetery was under command of Col. William A. Rafferty.

Washington, Dec. 13.-The president Tuesday sent to the senate the name of George V. L. Meyer, of Massachusetts, to be ambassador of the United

One Life Lost.

Milwaukee, Dec. 11.-A Sentinel special from Oconto, Wis., says the Roth A. F. EAGON ... hotel was burned Monday. Fourteen persons were in the hotel, all of whom escaped with the exception of Edward Kimball, who lost his life through suffocation. Kimball was a plication. member of company M. Second regiment. Wisconsin national guard-

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